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Sand Traps Planned in Bid to Save Beach

Altona Council will construct four 60-foot long sand traps in a bid to improve the beach for next summer.

The traps — a series of rock-filled galvanised baskets called gabions — act as natural groynes and assist in building up the sand. The traps will also stop damage to the sea wall.

The Board of Works will be asked to prepare long-range plans for the general improvement of the foreshore.

Cr. H. Weaver, who suggested the two moves, told Council that he felt the sand traps was a possible way of improving the beach. He said the Board was installing them at Hampton Beach.

He asked the City Engineer, Mr. R. Simmons, to place the traps at 200 yard intervals, starting at the reef off Bayview Street.

Cr. D. Grant asked if Cr. Weaver had considered using sand bags to form a groyne. He said they would be cheaper and less inconvenient.

"I asked the Board experts about them," Cr. Weaver replied. "They said the bags were used at Williamstown two years ago, but fell apart and were dislodged easily by vandals. The bags would have a very short-term use — possibly only six months. I had a longer term in view."

He said the traps would cost \$400 each, plus the cost of filling them with rocks and placing them in position. Mr. Simmons said this would take the cost to about \$3,000 for the four traps.

Cr. R. Richards said he felt the Council should seek Board of Works assistance before outlaying \$3,000.

"The more we pay the less assistance we will get from the Government," he said.

Cr. Weaver said the Council had already contacted the Board.

"It was months before we got a reply, and then it wasn't satisfactory," he added. "It would be years before we got any action."

"Let's face it. The beach is the main part of Altona. Let's take the bit in the mouth and take positive action."

Cr. I. Stewart said the Council had money to spend on the beach and it could be well spent on Cr. Weaver's suggestion.

"I'm 100 per cent. behind Cr. Weaver," he said. "I've also thought along the lines of a more substantial type of groyne, which some ratepayers think would collect the seaweed."

"I feel that it would be easier to pick up the seaweed from a suitably shaped groyne by machine than it would be to pick it up if it was scattered along four miles of foreshore."

Cr. Grant asked how much sand could be pumped onto the beach for \$3,000. Mr. Simmons replied that about 6,000 cubic yards could be obtained if suitable sand could be dredged from nearby, but only 3,000 cubic yards would be obtained for the \$3,000 if sand had to be imported from another area.

Mr. Simmons said he wondered if the Council

should wait for the results of the Board's work at Hampton before installing the traps.

"I'm just a bit worried that the metal would deteriorate and become a hazard," he said.

Cr. P. Lynch said he favored sand bags until the Council learnt more about the metal mesh.

The Mayor, Cr. P. Burns, said one trap should be placed in position first, then if it was successful others could follow.

"If it's successful it doesn't matter if we spend \$10,000 or \$20,000 — as long as the sand banks up," he said. "But it would be foolish to spend too much in the experimental stage."

He suggested plastic sand bags could last longer than the ones used at Williamstown.

Cr. R. Richards said there was a suggestion at one stage that a groyne could be built of ti-tree.

Mr. Simmons said he would prefer the steel mesh gabions.

"I agree something has to be done, and the money is available," Cr. Richards continued. "Would two groynes give us the information we require?"

"I think they would," replied Cr. Weaver.

Cr. Richards then unsuccessfully moved an amendment to Cr. Weaver's motion calling for two, instead of four, groynes.

Cr. Lynch also moved an amendment that two sand-bag groynes be built. This was defeated.

Cr. D. Grant said he supported Cr. Weaver's motion. He said there was evidence of sand build-up where drains jutted into the sea.

"Since we have the money on Estimates, and as the most popular part of the beach disappeared last summer, I support the four groynes," he said.

Funds Refused For Sea Wall

The Board of Works advised the Council last week that it could not allocate funds to extend the sea wall at the east end of the Altona foreshore.

The Council contacted the Board last December asking it to extend the wall to help protect the W. G. Cresser Reserve.

The Board replied last week telling the Council that as the reclaimed area on the shoreline was faced with rock, there was little chance of erosion and no need for a sea wall to protect it.

Prominent Artist For Art Opening

Paul Fitzgerald, one of Australia's leading portrait painters, is coming to Altona to open the fourth annual Art Exhibition being organised by the Altona Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi for late September.

Entry forms are still available either from the Altona Library or Mrs. G. Shanks, 14 Kookaburra St., Altona, 398-1535.

Proceeds from the exhibition will be donated to the Melbourne Ladies' Welfare Society.

LAND OFFER TO COUNCIL

Horne & Murray, Pty. Ltd., acting for Rail and Road Metals Pty. Ltd. has offered to sell Altona Council 5½ acres of land at the corner of Grieve Pde. and Blackshaws Road.

The company said it would accept a price of \$10,000 an acre for the land, which was formerly a quarry.

It said the land was isolated after part of the company's land was acquired by C.R.B. in connection with the Lower Yarra Crossing.

The City Valuer will report to the council's next Finance Committee Meeting.

NOISE SURVEY

Altona Council will ask the Public Health Commission to investigate noise levels in a number of residential areas adjacent to industrial areas throughout the municipality.

The Commission will also be asked to prepare a report on the intensity of noise readings and recommend to the council what action is deemed necessary.

These moves follow discussions between the council General Purposes Committee and Mr. E. C. Kearley, a scientific officer with the Health Department.

Mr. Kearley said the council should buy a sound level meter, costing from \$250 to \$600.

He told the council of a Health Commission draft titled "Noise Assessment with respect to Annoyance".

Residents of New St., who complained to the council of noise nuisance from a nearby industrial property, will be

told of the Council's request for investigations.

Mr. J. Mellors, Altona's Chief Health Inspector, told the council he had interviewed the management of the New St. factory. He said the company was conscious of the noise potential of its work and tried to minimise the noise emission consistent with its production schedule. Overtime was restricted to 9 p.m., 2 nights a week, during the daytime on Saturday.

He said the company pointed out its factory had been in the area since 1952, while most of the nearby houses were built or bought subsequent to the factory starting operation. He added that the company was in a general industrial zone.

"BABY INCUBATOR" PRESENTED TO HOSPITAL



For some months past, the Board of Management of the Altona District Hospital had been trying to convince the Hospitals and Charities Commission of their need for a second Humidicrib (or "Baby Incubator"). Their wishes were rewarded from a source unexpected.

On Wednesday afternoon, July 29, a Humidicrib was presented to Mr. R. Stringer, president of the Hospital's Board of Management, by Mr. E. Mosley, a fitter employed by Altona Petrochemical Company, on behalf of the management and employees of that company.

Mr. O. R. Smith, general manager, who also attended the presentation, referred to the considerable work efforts demonstrated by the company's employees in the early months of this year. The plant had experienced a major maintenance turnaround, suspected sabotage and a damaging fire during the start-up which followed. Then came a succession of plant operational problems. In appreciation of the untiring efforts of many employees during this period, it was decided to mark the occasion with a special gift to a local community organisation. About half of APC's employees live in Altona and adjacent areas. The majority of its employees are young married men and in many instances their children were born at the Altona District Hospital.

Nearly 300 babies are born at the Altona Hospital each year and humidicribs are essential for the care of premature babies. Mr. Stringer accepted the gift on behalf of the Board of Management and thanked the company for its continued assistance. He was supported by Crs. P. A. Burns (Mayor) and D. K. Grant, and Matron I. Smith who also explained to the gathering the finer points of the equipment.

Reading left to right are: Messrs. Peter Dwyer (manager, Altona Hospital), Duncan Phillips (employee relations manager), O. R. Smith (general manager), Ian Calderwood (head operator), R. Stringer (president, Hospital Board of Management), Ted Mosley (fitter), Arthur Morgan (acting shift superintendent), Cr. Doug Grant, Mrs. Ellice Harfull (filing clerk), Mr. John Evans (head technical assistant), Cr. Pat Burns. Immediately behind the Humidicrib: Mrs. Edith Littlewood (accounts clerk), Frank Pedler (maintenance supervisor), Mrs. E. Roach (member of the Hospital Board of Management) and Matron Smith.

EDITORIAL

BOY SCOUTS

In a period when youth receives so much criticism, deserved and undeserved, it is good to be able to wholeheartedly commend the Boy Scouts' Association.

The standards set down by its founder, Baden Powell, have been consistently observed over many years. In certain respects, some might say too consistently, but on the whole its retention of tradition is a good thing.

In the Boy Scout movement there has always been much of a positive character — on doing things, of more or less useful activity.

With the emphasis on how to do this or that, there is less need for the negative. A boy fully occupied does not need a string of don'ts against faults to which the idle are subject.

The character building aspects of the Scouts are its practice and precept, and the genius of the movement is in that its members absorb so much that is good, while engaged in enjoyable activity.

Throughout the year, Scouts are imbued with the principle, a good deed is its own reward.

However, once a year in Scout Week, the scouts' good deed is to help by working for their own association. The Victorian Scouts Association needs this year \$100,000 to assist in running its branch.

For any work done, the individual scout will receive the same reward as before but he will have added that he has helped scout funds.

Scout Week will be a success if it depends on the enthusiasm and ability of the Scouts.

But it all depends on you, the householders, of Altona.

Education Week in Altona

ASSISTANT MINISTER TO OPEN ATHLETICS AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION ACTIVITIES

The Hon. J. A. Rafferty, M.P., Assistant Minister of Education, will visit Altona for the specific purpose of observing the Youth Rally to usher in Education Week and to officially open Altona Community Education Week.

This year's theme is "Education for all Nations" and highlights of the week in Altona are:

- Youth Display on Grant Reserve. Official opening by Hon. J. A. Rafferty, M.P., Assistant Minister of Education.
- Open Days at the various schools and Junior Council Meeting.
- Public Speaking for Secondary School students.
- Open Forum (discussion panel).
- Drama Festival for Secondary School students.
- Open Days at all Kindergartens.
- Musical Festival for Primary School students.

The programme at Grant Reserve on Sunday will be:

- 2.00 p.m. Arrival of participating children.
- 2.15 p.m. National Anthem (Altona City Band).
- 2.15 p.m. Official Opening. His Worship, The Mayor, Cr. P. A. Burns, J.P., will introduce the Hon. J. A. Rafferty, M.P., Assistant Minister of Education.
- 2.25 p.m. Folk Dances — Primary Children. (2.25 p.m.: Commencement of Secondary Basketball and Volley Ball semi-finals).
- 2.40 p.m. Demonstration of Marching and Playing by Altona City Band. (Assembly of Relay Events).
- 2.50 p.m. Secondary Relay Events. (2.50 p.m.: Commencement of Tug-O-War).
- 2.55 p.m. Commencement of Secondary Basketball and Volley Ball Finals.
- 3.25 p.m. Concluding Remarks: Mr. T. J. Dunstone, B.A., Dip.Ed., M.A.C.E., Inspector of Schools.

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week the public is invited to functions in the Civic Hall.

The Apex Club of Altona has arranged Public Speaking for secondary school students on the Monday, starting at 7.45 p.m.

Two representatives from each of Altona's secondary schools will participate.

The following night a Drama Group from students at Mount St. Joseph Girls' School will present a One Act Play. In addition to this the Altona Drama Group will present their production "The Crimson Coconut."

Three distinguished speakers will discuss the theme "Education for all Nations" at a Discussion Panel on Wednesday at 8 p.m., and afterwards answer questions from the listeners. Members of the Panel are:

Moderator:
MR. ROLAND F. ROW, B.A., B.Ed., Assistant Director of Primary Education.

Speakers:
SISTER EPHREM, Principal Mercy Teachers' College, Ascot Vale.
Vale;
MR. MERRILL JACKSON, M.A., B.Ed., M.A.P.S., Faculty of Education, Monash University.
DR. N. RANDAZZO, Assistant Editor in Chief "Il Globo."

CAREERS NIGHT

Part of Altona North High School's Education Week activities will be a Careers Night from 7.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. on August 13.

Mr. J. Waters, Town Clerk, told Altona Council that Altona Lions, Rotary and Apex Club members would attend, together with other local professional people, to discuss occupations with interested persons.

Altona kindergartens will hold their Friday afternoon and twilight open day functions on August 14, as planned before it was learnt that a Health Department conference for kindergarten teachers would be held that day.

The teachers will attend the conference in the morning, but in the afternoon they will return to their kindergarten for the open day activities.

From August 14 onwards Altona High School will present a six-night opera season in the Altona Civic Hall. On the Sunday afternoon Altona Camera Club will stage a display, and the Assistant Minister for Education, Mr. R. J. Rafferty, will open a youth display.

Altona Apex Club will conduct a public speaking evening on the Monday, and the Altona Drama Group will hold drama competitions for three schools on Tuesday night.

Mr. Roley Rowe, the Assistant Director of Primary

Education, will be moderator of a forum on Wednesday night.

The hours of open days at all schools and kindergartens, as well as the times of all Education Week activities, will be published in a publicity leaflet.

New Factory

E. A. Watts Pty. Ltd., contractors, advised Altona Council last week that a factory, estimated to cost \$160,000, will be built in Blackshaws Rd., Altona North, south of the Lower Yarra Freeway, for Richard Klinger Pty. Ltd., Melbourne, West Australia.

Dogs Siezed

Two horses and 35 dogs, including three Alsatians, were found wandering and seized during June, the City Ranger reported to Altona Council last week.

Eighteen of the dogs were picked up in Altona North.

He said the horses and a few dogs were subsequently claimed.

A.P.C. GETS ANOTHER TIME EXTENSION

Altona Petrochemical Co. Ltd. has been granted another 14-day extension to the time limit in which it must stop causing a nuisance to surrounding residents.

Altona Council will call on the company to furnish a report on steps which have been taken and the city health inspectors will continue to make daily inspections of the plant.

Cr. W. L. J. Crofts told the council last week he was concerned at the odours coming from the plant.

"The people are running out of patience—and so am I," he said, adding he felt there had been no improvement in the odours.

"This is not good enough," he said.

Cr. D. K. Grant, who moved that the company be granted an extension, said he had been told there was

an improvement in the area.

"But if Cr. Crofts feels strongly about this, let's not give them an extension, but go on with the action right now," he said. "If we're not prepared to live with the problem a little longer, let's take action now."

"I'm prepared to live with this—but the people in the area are probably not. We gave the company 28 days to improve this. There have been no reports either from the company or our health inspectors."

"Another 14 days will probably give time for these to be discussed in the council."

CELLAR EXTENSIONS REFUSED

Altona Council has refused an application to extend Altona Cellars, corner of Blyth and Pier Streets, on the grounds it would create traffic problems in adjacent Blyth Street.

The council earlier wrote to the Altona Chamber of Commerce seeking its comments on traffic access in the right-of-way between Queen and Blyth Sts.

The Chamber said it had no objections to widening the right-of-way to 20 feet.

"If the right-of-way remains at 12 feet in width, the Chamber believes traffic should be one-way only," council was told. "If widened to 20 feet, it should be two-way."

"The Chamber considers that two-way traffic will improve the accessibility to the car park from Queen St., which is the route of approach from Altona West, Altona Meadows and Laverton residents. Being an alternative roadway to Pier St., it may relieve congestion there also. The widened right-of-way would overcome a potential congestion point at the Pier St. entrance, which is highly likely with the greatly increased patronage of that lane-way."

Council will again ask Woolworths Ltd. if the company is prepared to give up part of its proposed car park for the widening.

Camera Club

At the last meeting of the Altona Camera Club members took along slides for viewing, which were interesting and varied.

Judging of the last competition, "Melbourne" will be announced at the next meeting on August 14.

The Altona Camera Club meets every Friday of the month (except the first) at "The Homestead," Queen Street, at 7.30 p.m. Ring 398-1937 for information.

Report On Plumbing

Altona Council has referred a report on the use of P.V.C. pipe in plumbing and drainage work to its General Purposes Committee.

The report, by Mr. J. Mellors, Chief Health Inspector, was made to assist the council in determining a policy on the use of the material in the municipality.

MINISTERS OFFER SERVICES

Altona Ministers' Fraternal last week told the council they would be prepared to organise an appeal for the Freedom from Hunger Campaign.

"We seem to be at cross purposes on this," commented Cr. C. W. Carlsson, commenting on an earlier meeting between the Ministers' Fraternal and the council's General Purposes Committee.

"Ask them to meet us again," he added. "At the moment I'm not happy with the way their reply reads."

To Buy Land

Altona's Town Clerk, Mr. J. W. Waters, has been instructed to negotiate the purchase of five lots of land at the corner of Alma Ave. and Shirley St., Altona Meadows.

The council has decided to take no action on a petition requesting it to buy land at the corner of Civic Pde. and Bayview St. for development as a playground.

The Board of Works will be approached by the council for permission to fill and develop an area of land west of Bell Ave., between the two residential subdivisions.

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C.W.A. News

The Altona Branch of the Country Women's Association will hold a general meeting on Monday, August 10 at 1.15 p.m. in the Homestead, 128 Queen St.

Competitions will be for the best bloom and most attractive and functional coathanger.

Members are reminded to bring a gift and buy a gift.

Prior to the meeting members will practice craft work from 10.30 a.m. Visitors are always welcome.

As Mrs. Ena Barnes will be teaching crochet bring along a crochet hook size 5 to 7 and one ball of 5-ply wool.

Council Elections

Nominations for election to Altona Council close at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, August 11.

The three retiring councillors the Mayor, Cr. P. A. Burns, and Crs. D. K. Grant and P. J. Lynch — have all announced their intention of nominating for a further term in office.

ANNUAL ELECTIONS 1970 NOMINATIONS

CITY OF ALTONA

NOTICE is hereby given that an election of Councillors for the City of Altona will be held on Saturday, August 29, 1970, to fill vacancies caused by the effluxion of time of Councillors:—

Patrick Aloysius BURNS

Douglas Keith GRANT

Patrick Joseph LYNCH

Every Candidate at such election must be nominated before 4.00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 11, 1970, by delivery, between the hours of 10.00 a.m. and 4.00 p.m. on office days to the Returning Officer, James William Waters, Town Clerk, or his deputy, Francis Sefton McGraw, at the Civic Offices, 115 Civic Parade, Altona, of a nomination paper in accordance with the provision of the Local Government Act.

JAMES W. WATERS,
Returning Officer.

Auxiliary Raises \$1,500



Mrs. Wilma Verlander, president of the Altona District Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary, hands a cheque for \$1,500 to Mr. Bob Stringer, President of the Hospital Board of Management, at the Annual Hospital Ball held on Thursday at the Fiesta Ballroom.

The money was raised at various functions organised by the Auxiliary and included donations from Australian Carbon Black Pty. Ltd. and Porto and Valente Constructions Pty. Ltd.

ART EXHIBITION

The MU Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will conduct an art exhibition in the Altona Civic Hall from September 26 to 29.

The exhibition will open with a preview at 2.30 p.m. on September 26, followed by the official opening, conducted at 3 p.m. by Mr. Paul Fitzgerald, and will remain open until 8 p.m.

On September 27 it will be open from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., while on September 28 and 29 it will be open from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Altona Council last week approved the organisation's application to erect advertising banners across Pier St., provided it obtains approval from the Chamber of Commerce and statutory authorities concerned.

The organisation has been advised to contact the Altona City Band regarding its request that the band play in the courtyard while afternoon tea is being served on September 27.

Altona West Primary Mothers' Club

The Altona West Primary School Mothers' Club will hold a stall at the school on Education Day (Wednesday, August 12), at 1.30 p.m.

Lucky dips and toffee apples will be available for the children. Goods are still needed to stock the stall and may be left at the school.

Afternoon tea also will be served.

Parents attending Open Day are asked to support this effort.

Sickness Cuts School Day

The Principal of Altona North High School has been granted permission to cut the school's hours by one hour each day," Cr. P. Lynch told Altona Council on Tuesday.

He said the reason for the reduced hours was sickness amongst the teaching staff.

"And I have been told that this sickness is mainly due to the extra burden they have to carry because the school is short staffed," he added.

Boat Wanted For Kinder

The Blyth Street Kindergarten Committee wants a boat to place in the grounds for the children to play on.

Any person with one which is no longer seaworthy and is prepared to donate it to the kinder is asked to please contact the Director, Mrs. F. Spacek, on 398-2839.

Log Endangers Small Boats

A 10 feet long tree trunk which could be a danger to small boats is floating around the bay off the western end of Altona beach.

Mr. G. H. Lockwood of the Esplanade, said yesterday that he first noticed the log about two or three months ago.

It is about four feet thick but being semi-waterlogged it mainly sits below the water line.

The log appears to have fallen off a ship.

Mr. Lockwood said he has tried to tow the trunk but it is too heavy and he cannot get it over the sandbars into deeper water.

Twice he has reported the danger to the Ports and Harbours Branch, in July and again this week, said Mr. Lockwood.

Engagement

MAKER-BRAENTEL

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Maker, Davies Street, Altona, have pleasure in announcing the engagement of their younger daughter, Noelene Denise, to Hans, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Braentel, Chifley Ave., Altona.

Young Wives Visit Library

The St. Eanswythe's Young Wives' Group will hold their August meeting on Tuesday, August 11, at the home of Ruth Hodgson, corner McBain and Queen Sts., Altona, at 8 p.m.

A short business meeting will be followed by a visit to Altona City Library where members will be addressed on the use of the library by Miss C. Paltridge, the City Librarian.

The evening will conclude with supper back at Mrs. Hodgson's home.

LIGHT OPERA IN ALTONA

Altona's High Schools have developed a tradition over the past years for presenting a light opera during the school year.

The standard of these presentations has been extremely high at both schools. Altona High has developed an affinity for Gilbert and Sullivan, while Altona North devotes itself to more modern productions such as 'Oklahoma', which it presented last year.

Few people, other than those who are involved in these productions or who have done similar work elsewhere, realise just what hard work goes into the productions and what a valuable experience they provide for those concerned.

The experience of working together towards some definite goal provides lessons in human relations and confidence building that are surely an important element in the education of the youth of our community, lessons that are just as important as those learned sitting in a classroom.

Tickets for Altona High's production of 'Pirates of Penzance' are now available at the school. Ask any student and they will be happy to help you, or phone the school and make our booking.

Look in at the gymnasium at the Altona North High School and you will see the students there equally hard at work on 'Half a Sixpence' under the eye of Mr. Laird Briggs. The production will be staged at the Altona North Technical School in the middle of September.

Both productions promise to be good entertainment for the citizens of Altona.

Social Night For Scouts

The 1st Altona Scout Group wish to remind parents and anyone else interested, of the social get together to be held this Thursday, August 6, at 7.30 p.m., at the Scout Hall to farewell Mr. R. Tyrell and Mr. J. Masen.

Australian Christian Women's Conventions (Interdenominational)

You are invited to a

COFFEE HOUR

at Church of Christ, Douglas Pde., W'town

on

Monday, August 10

at 10 a.m. to 12 noon

Speaker:

Miss Jean Raddon, Missionary to Nepal with a ministry to women, Creche.

Val's Column

HELLO GIRLS,

The firm with the widest range, the largest selection, sometimes find a loophole; an extra that the public is in need of. Revlon has found a gap that I am glad has been filled, girls.

The colour range in Touch and Glow liquid and the new modern, quick and foolproof to use Roll On Touch and Glow. Now you will be satisfied with Bisque Beige and a very pale and delicate Porcelain Beige. Beautiful colors arriving at the right time — winter — the paler months.

We have testers of both, girls. Come along and test on the inside of your wrist. This is where you can judge tone and color.

Hair colouring for us girls at home is just getting to the stage of a breeze nowadays. We see these ads of the extreme modern years ahead clothes and furniture. One of these moderns is now in our hands. The oddest looking hair colouring apparatus — Decore Lights up by name. Eight glamorous shades to enhance your hair, highlighting your natural colors. No mess, no colour need touch your hands. So easy.

This is one case where the "oldies" are keeping up with the times. Good old Poly Colour that has been doing us a service for years with Colour Creme Shampoo, Tint Shampoo and Blonde Lightness, have now a sure and simple answer to your hair colouring problems.

Yes, sure and simple, a foam in shampoo hair colour in natural living colours. Combined in this product is your keratin protecting conditioner. The shampoo with built-in colour. No messy touch-up girls, simply shampoo in time after time any one of twelve lovely shades, whether you would like to lighten a little or darken a lot. Sure and Simple will do just this.

The hair covers evenly because of the easy shampoo in action and you will find it blends in up to sixty per cent. grey. So simple, you can be sure.

I told you, gift items are starting to arrive. Keep a watch out. All those wonderful Amcol lines are coming in — boxes and boxes of them. Bye.

HERBERT'S PHARMACY
76 Pier Street, Altona
398-2830

Historical Society Museum Opening

The members of the Altona Historical Society will open their Museum next week on Sunday August 16, from 2-4 p.m. for inspection by visitors.

School children will find this a good place to learn some of the history of Altona and questions from them will be welcome.

The popular picture postcards depicting scenes of Altona will again be available.

Admission is free.

The Annual Meeting of the Altona Historical Society will be held in the Society's room at the 'Homestead', 128 Queen Street, Altona at 7.45 p.m. on Wednesday August 19.

Visitors from other Historical Societies have been invited and Altona residents and other interested persons are welcome to attend.

A General Monthly meeting will follow the Annual Meeting and after discussion in which all will be invited to join, supper will be enjoyed.

ROTARACT NEWS

The Altona Rotaract Club wishes to thank those parents who kindly made available homes for the recent progressive dinner.

Their hospitality made the night a great success.

A supper meeting will be conducted at the Altona High School this Friday, August 7, at 7.30 p.m.

Prompt attendance is requested as there will be an interesting Guest Speaker.

Members are reminded that outstanding tickets in the special effort will be required by this Friday, when the results will be decided.

Members are asked to become financial as soon as possible, as the charter night is approaching.

Appointment

Mr. J. W. Hansen, Grieve Parade, has been appointed garcener/traffic officer to Altona Council. Mr. Hansen was a Council employee before the appointment.

SQUARE DANCE

AUGUST 14, CHALLIS ST. HALL, NEWPORT

• WEAR ANYTHING • LEARN AS YOU GO •

Starts 7.45 p.m.

Admission 60c

KEEP FIT CLASSES

As from Wednesday, August 5, the weekly morning class will be transferred to Altona Youth Club Hall, Civic Parade (near Civic Offices) from 10 a.m.-11 a.m.

New members now welcome.

The evening class continues at Seves Street, Altona, on Wednesday evenings from 7.30-8.30 p.m.

CRENA HEALEY, Instructress — 314-5186

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A giant White Elephant auction on October 3 is being planned by the Hospital Appeal Committee formed by the service clubs in Altona.

A wide variety of goods from small items to furniture is expected to be available.

This week pamphlets are being delivered throughout Altona asking for cupboards and sheds to be turned out and the donation of saleable goods.

Goods will be collected on August 8 and 9 — next Saturday and Sunday.

To arrange collection residents are asked to ring 391-2022, 314-6812, 398-2524, 398-1152 or 398-2693.

The service clubs involved are Rotary, Apex and Lions. Their work is being supported by the hospital Ladies' Auxiliary and other workers.

Beetle Night

A Beetle Night will be held at the Altona West Kindergarten, Somers Parade, on Thursday, August 13, at 8 p.m.

A Tiffany Jewellery Display will follow the Mothers' Club meeting at the kindergarten at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, August 19.

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LOCAL GROUPS HAVE HOUSING PROBLEMS

Two local organisations — the Williamstown Historical Society and the Williamstown Light Opera Company — have accommodation problems, Williamstown Council was told last week.

The Historical Society, which occupies the Mechanics' Institute Building, told Council valuable historical documents were being destroyed by silverfish.

The Light Opera Company, after four years at Footscray, asked the Council if any thought or consideration had been given to providing accommodation suitable for live theatre and cultural organisations.

The Historical Society said a firm had quoted \$175 for a silverfish eradication program, but the Society was unable to finance this from its own resources.

Cr. H. Clancy asked the Town Clerk, Mr. J. E. Morley, to arrange to have the eradication program carried out.

"The councillors are as concerned as the society to find that valuable documents are being destroyed," he said. "We all know what value the Society is to the city. By collecting historical material it has become a very valuable public relations body for Williamstown."

"The Council's annual contribution to the Society is only \$20 a year. All the Society's receipts are from people who visit the museum."

"The members have not been able to achieve the standard of display they would like because of limited finances."

He said he did not know if the Society paid the Council rental for the Mechanics' Institute, which was condemned before the Society moved in.

Cr. J. Byron said the Society should take the Council to the Fair Rents Board if it had to pay rental for the building.

"Cr. Clancy's motion will overcome the immediate problem, but I think this matter should go to the Public Works Committee for a long-term solution," he said.

He later moved that the Public Works Committee discuss housing the Society.

"I have a property in mind, but I think I should bring it up in the committee," he said.

The Light Opera Company secretary told Council members he had been asked when the company would return to Williamstown, adding that the question of changing the company's name had been raised many times during the four years it had been in Footscray.

"I think the Council must look seriously at ways of returning this company to Williamstown," said Cr. Clancy. "It may not be possible, though."

He moved that the matter be discussed by the Public Works Committee.

"Should we invite representatives of the company to attend the committee meeting?" asked Cr. R. Dawes.

"I think it would be wise for the Council to discuss it first, then if we need advice, call in the representatives," said Cr. Clancy.

Cr. H. Whittaker moved that the City Engineer, Mr. J. T. Rees, obtain a report from consulting engineers or consulting architects about the state of the Mechanics' Institute Building.

He said he had been told that the Light Opera Company would be happy to use the Institute auditorium.

"We will find out from the report if it is worthy of preservation or beyond repair," he said. "This will assist us in our deliberations on a venue for the company."

Walkathon

Altona North Technical School Mothers' Club has been granted permission to conduct a Walkathon through parts of the City on October 14.

The money raised will be used for improvements to the school's sporting areas.

The Walkathon route will be from the school to Blackshaws Rd., then to Grieve Pde., Geelong Rd., Kororoit Creek Rd., Maidstone St., Civic Pde., Millers Rd. and back to the school.

"Geelong Rd. is rather dangerous," said Cr. W. L. J. Crofts. "We should suggest that they don't use Geelong Rd."

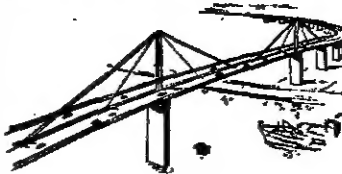
WALKERS' SEMINAR

Mr. Frank McGuire of the Victorian Walkers Club, has kindly offered his services as a lecturer and the use of his films in a Walkers Seminar to be conducted at the Victorian Walkers Club Headquarters at Albert Park on September 5 and 6.

Persons in the Altona district interested in either the coaching or judging aspects of Walking, particularly as applicable to Little Athletics, are invited to contact Mr. Les Wishart, secretary of the executive council of the Little Athletics Centre, no later than August 15 so that a reservation to attend this seminar may be made on their behalf.

As this invitation has been extended throughout Victoria the only way to avoid disappointment is to make an early reservation with Mr. Les Wishart, 14 Harrington St., Altona, or phone 398-3148.

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Newport Baseball Club Annual Ball

File On Lake



On Friday, July 17, the Eighth Annual Ball of the Newport Baseball Club was held in the Fiesta Ballroom, Footscray. Over 200 guests were welcomed by the club president, Mr. Bill Gledhill. Special guests included the Mayor and Mayoress of Williamstown, Cr. and Mrs. R. Dawes, and the Secretary of the Victorian Baseball Association, Mr. G. Benney, and Mrs. Benney. In his welcoming remarks, the president thanked the Mayor for the Council's assistance in preparing the club's new ground in Park Crescent, and hoped that this assistance would continue so that the club may occupy their new home as soon as possible.

During the evening a Belle of the Ball was chosen and this was the charming Miss Jill Swan. Pictured (from left to right): Mr. G. Benney, Mrs. Dawes, Miss Jill Swan, Cr. R. Dawes and Mrs. Benney.

Cr. P. Lynch has asked Altona Council to open a file on ideas — good or bad — about ways the Council could improve Cherry Lake.

"Then, when the Council finances allow it, we can open the file and see what we can do," he said.

Cr. Lynch added that a number of good ideas had been brought forward in the Junior Council sessions.

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Tickets for the Dinner Dance to be held in the Caulfield Town Hall on August 21 are now available and those wishing to go should obtain them as soon as possible.

The Altona Square Dance is held every Thursday night in the Youth Hall, Civic Parade. Dancing 8 to 11.15 p.m. Caller David Hooper, phone 398-2708 for enquiries.

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are. This is because the group has matured.

The four members are polished musicians
and they have a new manager in Duane Zig-
liotto.

The new-look Thursday's
Children is being launched
in Melbourne at a special
cocktail party. And this
page will carry plenty of
news for fans of the group.

The group has a good
following in Melbourne and
they are very popular at
Spectre, the Sunshine dance.

Their large repertoire in-
corporates some Top 40
material because the group
does not want to become
restricted to discotheques.

At the moment Thurs-
day's Children manager is
negotiating some major
hotel spots for the group.

The group is comprised of
Peter (lead and rhythm gui-
tar), Bernard (vocals), Phil
(percussion) and Peter
(bass).

Peter and Peter double up
on vocals.

The group has built up
quite a name in the Western
Suburbs with appearances
in Sunshine, Yarraville and
more recently St. Joseph's
Dance in Altona West.

Big Stir Over Bulldog

Big talk all around town
at the moment is the story
about Mick Rogers having
a row with the Entertainment
Exchange and walking out
on them.

If things go as planned
Mick will now be managed
by Michael Kadinsky of
AMBO who is elated about
the whole thing.

But manager of the Aus-
tralian Entertainment Ex-
change Peter Raphael is not
too happy at all.

Word has it that Peter
flew down from Sydney to
find out just what was go-
ing on.

Meanwhile Bulldog con-
tinues to gain a bigger fol-
lowing every week.

The group is not the type
one dances too.

Swingers just stand and
listen intently.

Warehouse At The Tum?

The Warehouse are plan-
ning a big concert for a
Thursday night, early next
month, at the Thumping
Tum discotheque in town.

If things go as well as
planned the group will have
a full line-up then, and a
good quantity of originals.

With Canberra guitarist
Ian Winters doubling up on
flute and Allan Britton on
double bass the group
should create quite a stir.

Because everybody has
heard something about these
two musos from Canberra.
But they are going to be
more than surprised when
they see them in action.

Negotiations are also be-
ing made for The Warehouse
to accept bookings through
DRUM Entertainment
Agency while keeping the
same personal manager.

Another Super-Group For Melbourne

Melbourne has another
super-group. They call them-
selves the Son of the Vege-
tal Mother and they intend
to play only at concerts, not
at dances, but that remains
to be seen.

The group is comprised of
Ross Wilson (ex Party
Machine and Procession),
Trevor Griffin (Procession),
Ross Hannaford (Party Ma-
chine and Quinn), Garry
Young and Wayne Duncan
(ex every group you've
heard).

The group intends to stick
to concerts.

And if you want to see
them perform you will have
to truck along to the T.F.
Much Ballroom in Brunswick
St., Fitzroy, this Saturday
night.

Also appearing will be
Jeff Crozier, Spectrum, Ad-
derley Smith, Margaret
Roadknight, Lipp Arthur
and the Captain Matchbox
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Also that night Gerry
Humphries will make a big
comeback with his new
group, Gerry and the Joy
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to see the dancing of the
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Noddy's Crew Win Battle

Airforce pop group,
Noddy's Crew, have done it
again.

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Geelong Battle of Sounds
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Keep up the good work
Cheryl, Bluey and company.

Drum Was Wizard Of A Group

Adrain Barker of Drum
Entertainment Agency has
asked me to mention his new
group, WIZARD.

Wizard is comprised of
the breakaway remnants of
Nova Express plus the lead
guitarist of Copperwine and
Ray Van Ross who won the
final of Kevin Dennis the
other night.

Also signed up with Drum
is a group called Lunch.

One of the members of
Lunch is Randall Bourchier
formerly with Clack and
Chocolate.

Drum is the entertainment
agency established by the
Masters' Apprentices before
they went overseas.

Drum owns the Tum dis-
cotheque and run Traffik in
the city. The agency also
arranged the recent Four
Tops' Melbourne appear-
ance.

Behind The Scene

Warehouse is definitely a
tuition ground for other
groups.

Recently Warehouse lost
a bass player to Genesis and
Tom who was filling in on
drums now plays for Co.
Caine.

I was wrong. The New
Dream are really earning top
bread now. Much of their
success is owed to singer
Alex Kadell who manages the
group. And a very reli-
able fan club.

Ronnie Charles has drifted
from bad to worse with his
group the Honky Tonk. I
think Ronnie has a very
good voice but not for the
stuff he is singing at the
moment.

Tully did not turn up for
their performance at the
Tum last Thursday night.

Strange but true. Drum-
mers are in extraordinary

Fire Band Loses Organist

Total Fire Band has lost
its organist, Doug Willmot,
and is now a quartet.

Doug, bless him, has left
the group because of his in-
tending engagement.

So the four members of
the group, Bruce Gardner,
Denis Dunstan, Mark East-
ace and Wayne Morrison are
aiming for a complete new
image.

The group has spent over
four weeks working on origi-
nal numbers and a new
stage act.

Bruce and Wayne have
written a new number titled
"Flight 424" which the
management tips as a good
prospect for the record
charts.

Almanac — A Group That Changed Its Name

Almanac is the group to
book if you are after an
adult entertainment band.

The group recently
changed its name to Al-
manac from Four Corners
because it was thought that
complications would arise
over the name because of
the ABV2 television name.

The group is managed by
Arthur Merriman who looks
after the Total Fire Band.

Line-up is comprised of
Calvin Coghlan (drums),
Mick Gardiner (lead guitar
and vocals), David Morrison
(organist), Peter O'Leary
(bass).

Calvin and Peter provide
vocal harmony.

Gossip

It's bon voyage to Andy
Skelly.

Just think. He will be
on that ship now sun-baking,
complete with broken arm.

Wally has his dart flights
back.

Oh well, Benny, while the
cat's away the mice will
play.

Has Squizzy really turned
back to the Horse Brigade?

Mick Calaz played for
Yarraville's senior side last
weekend.

How about some more
gossip Shelley?

Stevie still attends as many
demos as he can get to.

Seen walking up Toorak
Rd. the other day... Morris
"Mocka" Roberts.

Seen at a recent soccer
dance were Throb, Tommy
"Tara" One Goal (top lines-
man or runner — something
like that).

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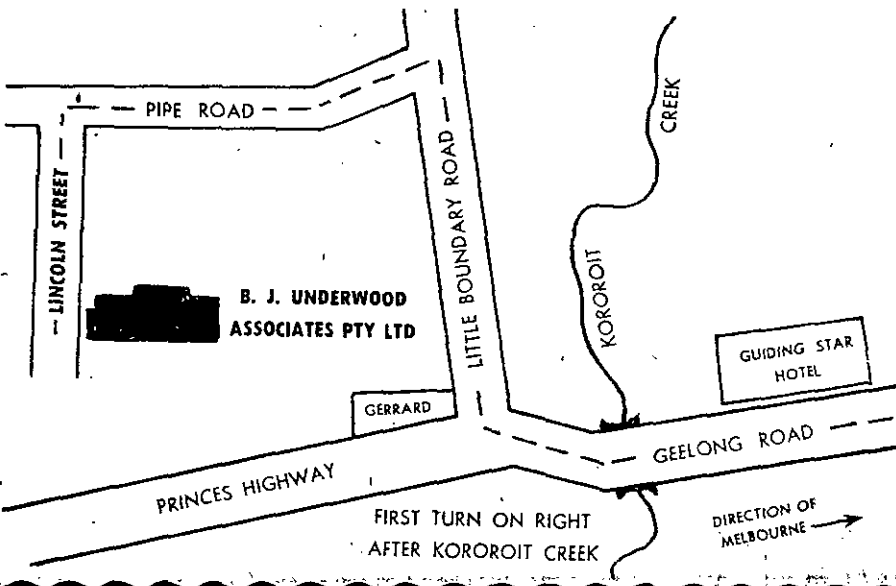
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WESTGATE JUNIOR RUGBY

Results for Saturday, August 1:

UNDER 12
Williamstown Tech. School, 6, d. St. Paul's Primary, 3.
Playing at the Strand Reserve, Newport, W.T.S. had a hard game which Michael Gurkin led by example, putting down 2 tries after evasive running. The team defended well to keep S.P.P. from scoring the equalising try.
Scorer. — Tries: M. Gurkin 2.
Williamstown/Altona Ramsdens, 3, lost to Sunshine Tech. School, 22.
At the Strand Reserve, Ramsdens, playing short tried hard to keep S.T.S. from crossing their line by tackling well but were not able to get enough ball to score themselves.
Try: M. Humphries.

UNDER 14
Altona North Technical School, 17, d. St. Paul's College, 6.
An interesting spectator game developed at Langshaws Reserve with teams even at half-time. Both teams were determined to run, scrummaging was good and by keeping the ball in play few lineouts resulted.
In the closing phases ANTS were able to outrun SPC.
Quick thinking by Tribe scored from a lineout on the goaline.
Scorers. — ANTS. Tries: J. McKendrick 2, P. Tribe, A. East, J. Berry. Goal: S. Colison.
SPC: Goals, D. Moyle 2.
Williamstown Tech. School, 11, d. Sunshine Tech. School, nil. Walkover.

UNDER 16
Williamstown Tech. School, nil, lost to Sunshine Tech. School, 6.
At the Strand Reserve,

Williamstown Squash Club

GIRLS
B Reserve defeated Sunshine, 4-0.
The girls, in their first round match, had an easy win.
Will members and captains of the other teams please send their results to De Rose's Sports Store by Saturday morning (earlier if possible) with full scores and results.

MEN
B Grade defeated Footscray, 3-1.
B Reserve won their semi-final 3-1.
C Reserve No. 4 defeated C Reserve 5 in their semi-final.
B Grade now play N.S.C. at Fawkner in the preliminary final.
B Reserve play Sunshine in their final.
C Reserve No. 4 go to the grand final with the No. 5 team having to play off in their preliminary final.

The best of luck to all concerned. Any members wishing to see these teams play are most welcome.

Newport, WTS allowed themselves to be caught out of position giving scores to STS in an even game with good running and tackling.
Altona North Tech. School, 11, d. Harlequins, nil.
At Langshaws Reserve, Harlequins forfeited as they were playing over age players. In the ensuing game ANTS still had the better of the visitors and had some good practice against the bigger lads.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8
Seven-a-side knockout competition for all ages at Scotch College, commencing 8.30 a.m.
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WESTERN SUBURBS TABLE TENNIS

A GRADE

Williamstown Colts (B. Taylor, S. Slattery, M. Dudziak) kept their finals chances alive when they defeated Maribyrnong 7-4 in a vital clash in Round 13.

Barry Taylor provided the inspiration for Colts with 3 good wins and he was ably supported by Steve Slattery with 2 wins. Jack Lawler was Maribyrnong's best player, winning 2 rubbers.

Bodingtons (A. Wynn, A. Coustley, J. Garvin) are now one game clear of their nearest rivals following their 8-3 win over Liston-Esplanade.

Alan Cousley starred for Bodingtons, winning 3 rubbers, whilst for Esplanade Kelly, Fowler and Lambert won 1 rubber each.

Despite their 8-3 win over Centre, Kingsville still remain in fourth position. Jim Montgomery won 3 rubbers and was supported by teammates Ted Viess (2 rubbers) and Stephen Hayes (1 rubber). Best player for Centre was Dick Ross who won 2 rubbers against talented opposition.

B1 GRADE

F&T Carpets (R. Gregor, R. Scerri, D. Taaffe) issued a warning to all sides in the fight for a finals berth when they crushed Westerners, 10-1, and went to the top of the ladder. Rudi Gregor and Rob Scerri starred for Carpets with 3 rubbers each, whilst for Westerners Frank Brown was their only winner with 1 rubber.

AGM were toppled from top position when they went down to Centre 3-8. Jack Wylie and David Doyle naved the way to victory with 3 rubbers each, whilst for AGM Wally Rosenzweig and Dianne Faust could manage only 1 rubber each.

Avondale Heights Youth Club put up their best performance for several weeks when they were narrowly defeated 5-6 by Brooklyn.

Brooklyn's best player was Alan Dyall who won 3 rubbers in fine style, and he was ably supported by Barry Watson with 2 rubbers. Avondale's best player was Robert

Brookfield who won 2 rubbers. Teammates Bryan Scott and Ivan Gribble won 1 rubber each.

B2 GRADE

Rheem (W. Kinder, W. Stys, T. Czerniecki) provided the surprise of Round 13 when they defeated leaders Ballarat Road Methodists 6-5.

Wolf Kinder was in devastating form for Rheem, winning all 3 rubbers, which included a win over previously undefeated Bob McInnes, 21-17, 21-17. Best players for BRM were Alby Richardson and Bob McInnes with 2 rubbers each.

Reckitt & Colman regained top position when they crushed a talented F&T Carpets combination 10-1. Ted Powell, Jack Jennings and Alan Evans were all in match-winning form, winning 3 rubbers each. Carpets only win was in the doubles when Psaila-Bojona defeated Jennings-Evans, 20-22, 21-17, 21-12.

Seaholme had a good 7-4 win over an improving Goodrich Chemicals team. Ted and Bill Simmons proved to be a match-winning combination for Seaholme, both being undefeated in singles. Ken Weston, Alan Gittens and Don McLaren won 1 rubber each for Goodrich.

A depleted B.A.T. combination of A. Clarke, T. Flynn, were a shade unlucky to go down 5-6 to W. G. Goetz. John Noble was Goetz's best player with 2 rubbers whilst for B.A.T. Terry Flynn was in unbeatable form, winning 3 rubbers in fine style.

C1 GRADE

Gordon-Lewis and Neil Wynn were defeated in Grieve Highway's 8-3 defeat of Explosives in the second last round of C1 Grade.

Don Adams and Greg Foran won one singles and combined to win a doubles for Explosives.

Outlaws (Wol Borkut, Frank Bissett, Pam Gates) defeated Oliver Davey (Dave Cole, Geoff Street, Dale Liston) 8-3, to hold down third place. Both Frank Bissett and Wol Borkut each won the maximum 3 singles rubbers for Outlaws.

The second and fourth sides, Kingsville YMCA and Reckitt & Colman received walkovers to secure their positions on the ladder.

D1 GRADE

In what was a crucial match of Round 13, Newport Post Office defeated Union Carbide surprisingly easy at 10-1 to narrowly hold fourth place from Union Carbide, and Post Office cannot drop out of the four even with a loss in the final round.

Ballarat Road Methodists played reasonably well against McKenzie & Holland, but found their opponents too accomplished and lost 2-9.

Ray Curwood, J. Casha and J. Camilleri each won 3 rubbers for McKenzie & Holland and for BRM, F. Brunt, Noel Thomas and Peter Annear combined to win both doubles rubbers.

Peter Scown starred for Avondale Heights Community Youth Club (2) when they defeated F.E.W., 7-4.

Peter's teammates, Andrew Bondin (2 rubbers) and E. Said (1 rubber) played well. For F.E.W. Ron Fowler played well to win 2 rubbers.

Herbie Sciv, Schwartz and Keith Bedallo each won 3 rubbers and Paul Beighton 2 rubbers in Avondale Heights win.

Community Youth Club defeated Brooklyn Youth Club 10-1. John Zgudka was Brooklyn's only winner.

D2 GRADE

Esso A (Tom Bloom, Jim McKenzie, Stephen Brown) defeated a rejuvenated St. Mary's C (John Gammon, John Hewitt, Nick Falzon) 7-4, with Jim McKenzie in devastating form, winning all 3 rubbers, and he was well supported by Stephen Brown with 2 rubbers.

Each of St. Mary's players won one rubber and Hewitt and Falzon combined to win one doubles rubber.

D2 GRADE

Newport Post Office defeated close rivals Esso Tigers B, 7-4, in a most interesting match which gives indication of a hotly contested final series.

Williamsown Youth Club (Peter Reitman, Frank Milton, Barry Harrison) outclassed Australian Glass to easily hold top place.

E1 GRADE

St. Albans, with Holger, Shrock and Terry Ryan starring, had one of their best wins for the season when they defeated Exer Social Club 9-2 to keep their slim hopes of a finals berth alive. R. Weldon was Exer's only singles winner with a win over Stephen Fellowes.

Bartrams, as anticipated, won easily from the last side at 10-1. George Kolowko, Triangles' No. 1 player, was their only singles winner.

St. Andrew's Footscray Cricket Club defeated St. Mary's A narrowly at 6-5.

St. Mary's, represented by only two players (Ray Maloney and Claude Nuzzo) did extremely well against St. Andrew's and were unlucky to lose. Best players were Noel Bunce with 3 rubbers for St. Andrew's and Nuzzo and Maloney with 2 rubbers each.

Seaholme (Susan and Julie Jeffrey, Marlene Harrison) were too strong for St. Mary's B, and won 9-2.

Susan and Julie Jeffrey were undefeated in singles and for St. Mary's R. Kucera and S. Pilavakis played well.

SUMMER PENNANT 1970-71

With a most successful winter season drawing to a close, entries are invited for grades from A down to E, and a novice grade for absolute beginners.

If sufficient entries are received the WSTA will conduct an age group competition for boys and girls interested in playing in a team competition which will be conducted either on week nights or Saturday afternoons and any youth groups or individuals interested should contact the Secretary, Ray Blythman, 391-1205 private, 391-2211, ext. 125B, or 60 Mason Street, Newport.

CHURCHES COLTS FOOTBALL

UNDER 12

Laverton, 3-2-20, d. Altona Methodists, 2-5-17.

A.M. Goals: P. Gilmore, S. Stafford.

A.M. Best: S. Stafford, G. Stone, M. Donnelly, B. Dodd, R. Anderson, T. Pinney.

UNDER 15

Holy Trinity, 6-8-44, d. Laverton, 6-7-43.

H.T. Goals: W. Spicer 3, M. Lomas 2, J. Hewitt.

H.T. Best: G. Dean, C. Sahhar, S. Stuart, W. Spicer, A. Sims, N. Watt, K. Schuller, G. Wyatt.

BEST AND FAIREST

Winner of the Under 12 Section Best and Fairest Award is Andrew Gibson of Holy Trinity with 28 votes. Runner-up was R. Parker of Westport with 19 votes.

In the Under 15 Section Ricky Carrington of Westport won the award with 23 votes. Runners-up were Lee Perusich of Yarraville and Chris Hill of Williamstown Meths., both with 22 votes.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

Second semi-finals at Williamstown Football Ground: Under 12: Holy Trinity v. Williamstown Meths.

Under 15: Altona Pres. v. Westport.

Altona Presbyterian Football Club wish to sincerely thank the residents of Altona for their support in their fund-raising efforts.

This Saturday the APFC Under 15 team will be playing in the Western Suburbs Colts second semi-final at the Williamstown Football Ground commencing approx. 10 a.m.

NEWPORT BASEBALL CLUB

Last Saturday morning the Under 15 team won the premiership for their zone with a great display of team batting and good fieldings. Newport defeated Port Melbourne 8-2.

The Newport battery played well to contain the big Port batters.

Best: Kevin Stonehouse, Kenny Lees, Roger Spangaro, Jeff Lynch.

A TEAM

In the afternoon success was still with Newport when the Firsts, playing their best game for sometime, defeated Caulfield 8-4.

The players showed a welcome return to form with the bat and they did not have any lapses in the field, to never allow Caulfield into the game.

Best: B. Cleary, J. Merriman.

B TEAM

This side had an easy win over Caulfield 16-1.

The highlight of this game was the innings in which Newport scored 14 runs.

R. Doyle scored two home runs in this innings, equalling the Victorian record set by former Newport player Doug Lindsay.

Best: R. Doyle, B. Middlemass.

Holy Trinity Juniors

In a tense finish to an exciting and well-contested game the Under 15 team came from behind to gain a one point lead.

With determined defence Trinity hung on to its slender lead to the end to win the first semi-final.

The club wishes to congratulate central umpire Harvey Otter and the remaining umpires for their control of this match.

Scores: Holy Trinity, 6-8-44, d. Laverton Youth Association, 6-7-43.

Goals: W. Spicer 3, M. Lomas 2, J. Hewitt.

Best: G. Dean, C. Sahhar, G. Wyatt, W. Spicer, K. Schuller, S. Stuart, N. Watt, A. Sims.

This week the Under 12 team meet Williamstown Methodists in the second semi-final starting 8.45 a.m.

Andrew Gibson, Trinity Under 12 captain, scored an easy win for the Best and Fairest, gaining 28 votes in 13 matches in the Churches Under 12 division.

C TEAM

In a tight game Newport won because of better batting, but they cannot afford to relax as they have to win the remaining games to make the four.

Best: P. Murdoch, D. Forrester.

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The first event, which is for girls under 9 years, is to commence at 1.30 p.m., and all competitors from the Altona Centre are requested to be present at Yarra Bend Park no later than 12.30 p.m. This will enable the Centre team manager and his assistants to correctly marshal Altona Centre competitors.

It is expected that the final event, that for boys under 12 years, will be concluded by 3.30 p.m., whilst the closing ceremony and presentation of the pennants to the successful first, second and third Centre teams will take place at 3.45 p.m. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the first, second and third competitors respectively in each race as soon as the event is completed.

Competitors must wear the Centre uniform with the number applicable to that Centre attached to both the back and front of the uniform.

Each competitor will be supplied with a name tag which must be presented after the conclusion of the event to the recording centre.

All competitors must compete in appropriate footwear.

Another Win To South Thirds

South "chalked up" another win with a 36 point victory over Carlton.

South opened strongly with a goal from Doherty and two from Lees, giving them a considerable lead, but Carlton fought back in the second quarter to be only three points behind at the halfway mark.

Early in the third term Carlton goaled but South, with renewed vigour, gradually drew away with goals from Nodzio, Brown and Hipworth.

The last quarter saw South again come on strongly when a pass from Stibbard to Smith resulted in a goal. Subsequent goals from Nodzio, Stibbard and Doherty, put South further ahead to win easily.

Parents and officials are advised that parking space is available at various points along Yarra Bend Rd.

All children who gained a placing, up to and including eighth place, at the Regional Cross Country Competition held recently at the You Yangs Reserve are qualified to compete at these Victorian Cross Country Championships.

The executive council of the Altona Little Athletics Centre is very much aware of the very keen competitive spirit with which Little Athletics will approach these championships and would like to take this opportunity of wishing every competitor the best of luck.

Williamstown Baseball Club

After last week's round of games the Williamstown sides are in a lot of trouble making the final four.

FIRSTS
The Firsts were defeated by Preston in what was a very interesting game.

The Preston side hit the ball consistently and forced the Williamstown side into errors which lost the game for them.
Williamstown, 1, lost to Preston, 4.

SECONDS
The Seconds were defeated in an exciting game where the lead changed several times, but it was the Preston side who slammed on 6 runs in the last dig to snatch victory.
Williamstown, 8, lost to Preston, 13.

THIRDS
The Thirds, after jumping away to an early lead, were pegged back by Preston who went on to take advantage of Town's lack of a strong pitching force.
Williamstown, 7, lost to Preston, 13.

Scores: South Melbourne, 10-11-71; Carlton, 4-11-35.
Goals: Doherty 2, Lees 2, Nodzio 2, Brown, Hipworth, Smith, Stibbard.
Best: Brown, Pasquill, Doherty, Bell, Robertson, Stibbard.

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This Saturday the race will be flown from Kyabram, a distance of 120 miles. — **BLACK PIED.**

SPOTSWOOD FOOTBALL CLUB

A GRADE
Playing away to Seddon, Spotswood reacted strongly to their poor showing the previous week by playing devastating football with the wind in the first quarter to kick 10 goals. At half-time Spotty had a commanding lead of 8 goals.

Spotswood took complete control in the second half to run out easy winners.
Scores: Spotswood, 21-16-142; Seddon, 8-18-66.

Goals: McAsey 5, Murphy 4, Biddick 3, Manolakis 3, Nicol 2, B. Hewet, Ham, Kemp, McGarity.
Best: McAsey, Petherick, Cody, Weedon, Ham, Murphy, McDonald.

A RESERVE
Seddon provided Spotswood with little opposition and Spotty won a one-sided game.
Scores: Spotswood, 15-15-105; Seddon, 1-7-13.
Goals: Cairns 5, Budgen 2, M. Elliott 4, K. Lee 3, Dickenson.
Best: Chapman, Dickenson, M. Elliott, Horwood, Kirwan, Stevens.

UNDER 18
St. Albans were three goals up on Spotswood at the half-time interval, but Spotty produced better football after the break to win by 4 goals.
Scores: Spotswood, 8-15-63; St. Albans, 6-3-39.

Goals: Norris 2, Hughes, Mackey, Thomas, Moore, M. Iaccarino, Lelkes.
Best: Barresi, Crisp, M. and J. Iaccarino, Matthews, Moore, Reidy, Thomas, Tikakis.

UNDER 16
Spotswood had a good win against Kingsville who were fifth on the ladder.
Scores: Spotswood, 13-28-106; Kingsville, 6-6-42.
Goals: Scott 5, Couch 2, Harley 2, Collins, F. Kerr, Bright, Walker.
Best: Harley, Jackson, R. Smith, Scott, Collins, Walker, Couch, Kerr.

UNDER 14
Playing on the Footscray Oval, Spotswood had a good, even game with Altona North to win the second semi-final by 9 points.

Paul John celebrated a great win by playing his 50th game in the Under 14 section.
Scores: Spotswood, 6-12-48; Altona North, 5-9-39.
Goals: Powley 2, John, Grech, Norton, Landells.
Best: All players did well in a good team effort.

UNDER 12
Spotswood proved a little too strong for Braybrook to win the second semi-final by 15 points.
Scores: Spotswood, 4-3-27; Braybrook, 2-0-12.
Goals: M. Davis 2, Kosky, G. Davis.
Best: All players did well in a good team effort.

Parents Without Partners

The Branch Meeting of Parents Without Partners will be held on Saturday, August 8, at 8 p.m. at Moonee Ponds. Enquiries from 379-5150 or 309-3895. New members welcome.

Williamstown CYMS Football Club

SENIORS WIN BY BIG MARGIN

First Quarter
Bentleigh started off well and it looked as though they would give Town players a good tussle. However, Town took control from the halfway mark and the opposition had no answer to CY's overall strength. This had not been a good quarter by Town and they were only nine points up at the first change.

Scores: Town, 5-1-31; Bentleigh, 3-4-22.

Second Quarter
Town hit their straps and were in devastating form this quarter. The ruck and rovers were in complete control and kept driving the ball forward throughout this term. Handball was used to great advantage and the backing-up was a pleasure to watch. The only fault in Town's play this quarter was their inaccurate kicking.

Scores: Town, 12-14-86; Bentleigh, 3-4-22.

Third Quarter
Town were now on top in all divisions. Their big men were outmarking the opposition all over the ground and the backline easily repulsed most Bentleigh advances.

Town's centre and half-forward lines were co-operating together very well and drove the ball forward frequently.
Scores: Town, 21-18-144; Bentleigh, 5-5-35.

Final Quarter
CY's were now in full control and could do whatever they wished. There was little opposition and Town scored at will to run out easy winners.

Final scores: Town, 28-27-195; Bentleigh, 6-5-35.

Best: Wilkie, Jones, Zamykal, Zamykal, Rosenzweig.
Goals: Moore 8, Wilkie 6, Jones 3, Zamykal 2, Campbell 2, Rosenzweig 2, C. Featherston 2, Zamykal, Halley, Vaughan.

SECONDS STRUGGLE HARD

First Half
Once again Town started off slowly and the opposition took full advantage. There was little cohesion in CY's play and the ball came forward through individual efforts alone.

Half-time scores: Town, 2-3-15; Port Melbourne, 9-8-62.

Second Half
Town played much better in this half and, although it was not reflected on the scoreboard, had the greater proportion of the play. Players backed-up well and used vigour to great advantage.

Final scores: Town, 5-6-36; Port Melbourne, 16-21-117.
Best: R. Featherston, M. Ward, G. Bunting, J. Dey, R. Caruana.

Goals: G. Bunting 2, A. Michalowsky, A. Boddington, J. Dey.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

The First play Flemington at Fearon Reserve. This will be a battle for first place and also a preview of the second semi-final to be played the following week.
Seconds play Bentleigh (2) at Gray Reserve.

TEN PIN BOWLING

ALTONA CENTRAL LADIES' LEAGUE

Results of games played July 28:

Grand Cinema, 3, d. Roberts' Nurseries, 1.
B. Miller 187, 505 (GC).
I. Tucker 169, J. Thompson 437 (RN).

-7X Lemonade, 4, d. Re-Cars, nil.
G. Copeland 179, 445 (7X).
A. Campbell 167, 488 (RC).

M.&D. Homes, 4, d. Altona Central, nil.
B. Cox 170, 455 (M.&D.).
O. Williams 140, I. White 390 (AC).

Tucker's TV, 3, d. Carnovale Pharmacy, 1.
N. McVeigh 164, 439 (TPV).
K. White 145, 401 (CT).

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M.&D. Homes	47½	48½	46413
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Combined Pensioners' Association

Members of the Williams-town-Newport branch of the Combined Pensioners Association were pleased to welcome Mr. Wade of the Social Services Department at their meeting on July 31.

Mr. Wade gave an interesting informative address relating to every class of social service pension; aged, widow, invalid, and so on. He was ever ready to answer numerous questions put to him and he revealed that the Social Service Department will be opening a branch office at Footscray in Lindsay's Arcade in three weeks time. This will be more convenient for people in this district.

Members are disturbed at the ever increasing rise in the cost of commodities and now have the added worry of the impending 15% increase in Board of Works rates.

A petition was circulated at the meeting which will be sent to the Government asking that the base pension rate be 30% of the average weekly male earnings with supplementary assistance and allowances in accordance with ACTU policy and adopted by the Australian Commonwealth Pensioners Federation.

Lara branch will be visiting Newport on August 14 at the next meeting in the Newport Library Hall at 1.30 p.m.

FEARONS DEFEAT CITY

The Fearon-City lacrosse clash last Saturday proved to be very interesting. The weather conditions were bad, with a blustering wind that chilled players as well as spectators.

City, who had the talent to down Caulfield Green only 2 weeks ago, showed from the start that they considered this match purely social and not an occasion to try and extend the top team and the Fearons, although scoring 24 to Cities 4, were quite happy to take it easy.

Semi-finals started and in E Grade both Fearons and City went down to Malvern teams. City are now out and Fearons have a further chance this week.

Three Fearon players have been selected in the Junior State team and are to be congratulated. They are: C. Donnelly, G. Stevens and I. Fraser.

In F Grade the Fearons and City both had wins and will play in the second round of finals.

For the first time since 1937 the A Grade grand final will be played at Williamstown on September 12. Old timers can remember the match 33 years ago and they still talk about the match and the result that went to Malvern and as it's possible that once again it will be the Blacks against the Fearons, half of Williamstown will turn out to see the match.

A GRADE
Fearons defeated City, 24-4.
Fearon Goals: E. Toomey 3, A. Rolley 3, D. Allen 8, R. Cordell 4, J. O'Keefe 1, R. Tregear 2, W. Rhodes 1, J. Twomey 2, R. Twomey 2.
Fearon Best: R. Cordell, R. Twomey, J. O'Keefe.

City Goals: J. Spicer, B. Kubiec, L. Jeremiah, P. Hogg.
City Best: L. Jeremiah, G. Read, F. Stewart.

Deacons defeated Caulfield Gold, 12-7.

Goals: R. Speakman 1, B. Anderson 3, Hunter 1, W. Davis 3, R. Green 1, M. Garnsworthy 1, N. Simons 2.
Best: W. Davis, R. Walton, N. Simons.

B GRADE
City lost to Glenroy, 3-28.

Best: D. Burke, P. J. McLean, B. McArdy.

E GRADE
First Round Semi-finals

Fearons lost to Malvern Black, 7-13.

Goals: T. Smith 2, P. Hey 1, G. Stevens 1, A. Thomson 1, B. Taylor 2.

Best: R. Adair, T. Smith, B. Taylor.

City lost to Malvern Reds, 3-13.

Goals: P. Holder 2, G. Bonner.

Best: P. Holder, P. Harrison, G. Bonner.

Newport Amateur Swimming Club

At the annual swimming meeting of the Victorian Amateur Swimming Association it was announced that the Newport Swimming Club had won the Ruby Lord Trophy for season 1969-70. This trophy is awarded to the club which supplies most swimmers in club carnivals throughout Victoria. Thanks must go to the parents and children for this very fine effort.

Winners of the Calderwood Handicap were — BOYS: First Peter Green, Second Stephen Medcraft; GIRLS: First Amanda McIntosh, Second Robin Hodgson, Third Anita Fewster.

Winter Pennant on Sunday resulted in wins for the senior boys, 67 to 23, junior boys 64 to 24, and junior girls 60 to 37; all against Malvern. But the senior girls went down again.

These three winning teams are sure of swimming in the finals at Clayton. Outstanding winners were Clyde Davenport (two wins), Robert Portelli, Geraldine Murphy, Maree White, Peter Green, Robyn Jackson, Darren Stinton and Theresa Febey, each with one win.

The relay teams won six of the eight events.

Next week the boys have a bye whilst the girls meet Dendy.

F GRADE
City defeated Caulfield Green, 12-9.
Goals: B. Taylor 5, M. Von Magy 4, R. Jones 2, M. Dougan 1.
Best: B. Taylor, M. Gregson, W. Awarenko.

G SECTION
Semi-finals

City defeated Altona, 18-4.

Salmonbees defeated Footscray, 16-2.

Tottenham defeated Deacons, 21-7.

Williams town defeated Fearons, 8-5.

GIRL GUIDES

The Extension Branch Auxiliary of the Western Metropolitan Region Girl Guides held an interesting meeting at Newport on July 27.

The first unit of handicapped girls is already in uniform and seven girls are ready for investment.

Miss L. Allen and Mrs. E. Cope opened the second unit in Gellibrand Guide Hall, Peel St., Newport, on Saturday, July 25, and their next meeting will be held on Saturday, August 8.

The Cosmetic Night was quite remunerative. The theatre morning also, was successful and it is proposed to hold another one before the end of the year.

The next fund raising effort is a Petra Jewellery evening to be held at the home of Mrs. Bramley, 100 McLaughlin St., Ardeer, on Friday, August 7, at 8 p.m.

Once again a reminder that these efforts are open for any person in or outside the Guide Movement.

Further efforts include a coffee morning with Miss McKee, Naturapath, a trip to Chadstone shopping centre and a cake icing demonstration.

A warm welcome to all who are interested in helping handicapped girls is waiting at the next meeting to be held on Monday, August 24, at the home of the Regional Commissioner, Mrs. Carlyon, 66 Suffolk St., West Footscray.

ALTONA UNDER 16 DEFEAT WILLIAMSTOWN

Altona defeated Williams-town in the second semi-final last Saturday and now go into the grand final which is to be played in two weeks.

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At half-time Altona led Williamstown by 17 points. Best players up to half-time for Altona were Hampton Geard, Hitchcock, Churchill.

Altona held Williamstown in the third quarter and were 3 points in front.

up Rebels' lack of height. Best: J. Russell, H. Vanderpool, Smith, Pratt, P. Martin.

Goals: Churchill 2, Beer, Pratt.

Altona City A, 12-13-95, defeated West Newport, 0-3-3.

One of the best features of this game for City was the prominent marking of Frank Howard who also showed good ground form. Stephen Chatfield disposed of the ball well despite blustery conditions.

Congratulations to those boys who turned up prepared to play although they were not sure of getting a game.

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ALTONA METHODISTS

A Grade defeated Yarraville Congs.-Pres., 27-8.

A Reserve defeated Yarraville Baptists.

B Grade were defeated by Holy Trinity, 8-20.

Reserve defeated Williamstown Congs.

C Grade defeated Yarraville Congs., 23-19.

This Week's Games

A Grade v. John St. at North P.S., 1.45 p.m.

A Reserve v. Williamstown Baptists, at WGS, 3.15 p.m.

B Grade v. John St., at Seaholme, 3.15 p.m.

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BIRTHS

HARRIS (Lancefield). — Carol and Ian proudly announce the arrival of a son — Darren Ian, July 30, 1970.

KIP (Smith). — Jeanette and Henk are happy to announce the arrival of Melissa Ann, born at Altona District Hospital, August 3, 1970. Darling sister for Karen. Many thanks to Dr. P. Frajman and Sister Morgan.

MARTIN (Gunn). — To Dot and Wally, on July 23, at Altona Hospital — a son (Craig Walter). Both well.

GOLDEN WEDDING

COUTTS-HANSEN. — Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Coutts announce with pleasure the 50th anniversary of their marriage, celebrated at Methodist Church, Armadale, by Rev. George Judkins, on August 6, 1920.

DEATHS

BRYAN, Georgina. — Of 4 Rennie Street, Williamstown, passed away suddenly on July 30. Dearly loved mother of Barbara, loving mother-in-law of Harry Freeman, loved Nana of Harold, Betty, Sam and Vonnice, loved greatniece of Diane, Maria, Paul, Terry. Mum and Dad reunited.

BRYAN, Georgina. — Suddenly. Loved mother-in-law of Alan Lawerson, loved Nan of Alan and Bev, Graham and Fay and Raymond, great aunt of Wayne, Stephen, Paul and Colin. Dear Mum and Dad at rest.

BRYAN. — On July 30 (suddenly). Georgina Bryan, of 4 Rennie Street, Williamstown. Dearly loved Nana of Jean, Joe, great Nana of Wayne, Julie. Nana and Grandpa together again.

What a lovely memory to leave behind.

FLOATE. — On July 26 (suddenly). Olive Florence, of 13 Cerberus Crescent, North Williamstown. Beloved wife of Charles, loving mother of Brian, Barbara (Mrs. Reeves), Lola (Mrs. Evans), fond mother-in-law of Norma, Dennis and Syd, devoted Nana of Peter, Anthony, Michele, Roland, Linda, Sharon, Brad and Glenn. Aged 65 years. Cherished memories forever in our hearts. Cremated Memorial Park July 28, 1970.

McGOWAN, Frank. — On August 1. Good friend of Aub and Sheila. Will be sadly missed.

BEREAVEMENTS

FLETT, Elsie. — Mr. G. Flett and family wish to thank all friends and organisations for floral tributes and cards of sympathy in the loss of wife and mother. Special thanks to Dr. Franks and Staff of Williamstown Hospital. Will all please accept this as our personal thanks as a lot of addresses are unknown.

GAIR. — Bob, Win and Carol wish to thank all their friends, relatives and neighbours for their kind thoughts, floral tributes, cards and personal expressions of sympathy in the sad and tragic loss of their son and brother, Chris. As there were many addresses unknown would all concerned please accept their grateful thanks.

GUNN. — We wish to thank relatives and friends for kind thoughts re cards and personal messages of sympathy at the sad passing of our dear sister, Mrs. E. V. Gunn. Will all please accept this as our sincere personal thanks. — Maggie, Jack and Fred Coffey.

WALKER. — Mrs. M. Walker and family, 26 Clark St., Williamstown, wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbours for their floral tributes and cards of comfort in the sad loss of husband and father. Please accept this as our personal thanks.

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— Inserted by his loving father and mother, brother Ted, sister Mary, sister-in-law Ann and children.

BECKETT (nee Bredgaard). — In loving memory of my mother.

Treasured memories. — Werner and Elsie.

CAMBRIDGE (McGowan). — In loving memories of a dearly loved sister, Sylvia, who passed away on August 3, 1969.

Sometime we'll understand. — Ivy and Greille.

CAMBRIDGE, Sylvia May. — August 3, 1969. Dear sister of Jean and Gordon. Loved and remembered every day.

CAMBRIDGE (McGowan). — In loving memories of a dearly loved sister and a devoted aunt, who passed away on August 3, 1969.

Close to our hearts you will always stay. Loved and remembered every day.

— Joy and Keith, Denise, Sharon and David.

SHAW. — In loving memory of Nell, called home August 9, 1969. Sadly missed.

JESS. — In loving memory of my dear husband, Robert, who fell asleep on August 6, 1969.

Without goodbye you went to sleep. Memories of you are mine to keep.

When last we saw your smiling face. You looked so bright and well.

But little did we know, dear Bob, It was your last farewell.

— Your loving wife Mildred. GERRING, Robert Edward.

In loving memory of dear Dad, who passed away August 6, 1969.

— Shirley and Bob, grandchildren Jennifer and John.

LOWDEN, Robert. — In loving memory of dear Dad, passed away August 5, 1962.

Always remembered. — Inserted by his loving daughters, Norman and Thelma.

MEAD. — In loving memory of my loved husband and our loved Dad ("Ted"). Passed away August 1, 1963.

Your memory is a treasure. Your loss a lifetime regret. But those who really loved you.

— Are the ones who never forget. — Loving wife Iris, daughters Bev, Marg, and Eric and family.

MULDOWNEY, John. — Passed away August 11, 1969. We mention your name and speak of you often.

God bless you Dad, you're never to be forgotten. — Son, Grandchildren Brian Noel, grandchildren Brian and Suzanne.

PUBLIC NOTICES

FETE — In aid of St. John Ambulance, Williamstown, August 8, 2 p.m., in St. John Ambulance Hall, cnr. Esplanade and Garden Street, Williamstown. Fancy goods, cakes, groceries, sweets, pot plants, trash and treasure, lucky dips, bar-b-q, used clothing, etc. A Geelong pop group "Chicken Shack" will entertain during the afternoon.

THE 16th Annual Meeting of the West Newport Free Kindergarten will be held on Tuesday, August 11, at 8 p.m., at the Kindergarten. Nominations for committee close on that date. An adjourned annual meeting for the election of office-bearers will be held on Tuesday, September 8, at 8 p.m. — W. A. Dickson, Hon. Sec., 32 Clyde Street, Newport.

TO WHOM it may concern. Williamstown Group Alcoholics Anonymous meets in St. Andrew's Church Hall, Cecil Street, every Wed. night at 8 p.m. No fees, no dues, it's on the house.

COMING EVENTS

WILLIAMSTOWN Ladies' Bowling Club, Crazy Whist, Friday, August 7, 8 p.m.

WILLIAMSTOWN Ladies' Bowling Club, Crazy Whist, Tuesday, August 11, 1.45 p.m.

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The Footscray Rotary Club is again sponsoring a group of secondary school students from the Kerang and surrounding areas to a visit to the Footscray and District Hospital on Tuesday, August 4.

There will be about 48 students all interested in hospital careers and arrangements have been made for the youngsters to gain first-hand knowledge over a period of two hours at the hospital where they will go into groups with a member of the department in which they are interested.

Four students are interested in the medical profession, nine in occupational therapy, four in physiotherapy, eleven in speech therapy, three in radiology, seven in the medical laboratory and there are eleven interested in nursing.

The students will arrive at the hospital at 12.30 p.m. and after visiting the various departments they will be entertained at afternoon tea in the Nurses' Dining Room from 3 p.m. to 3.20 p.m.

BLOOD NEEDED

A mobile blood donation unit from the Red Cross Blood Transfusion Service will visit the Altona Civic Centre from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on August 20.

Cr. D. K. Grant told Altona Council that service needed new donors, because many regular donors were unable to give blood because of illness.

Applications are invited for the position of

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Altona Through To Grand Final

By WARDEN JAMES

Altona won its way through to the grand final with a very convincing 40-point win over Williamstown in the Western Suburban League Under 16 semi-final last Saturday.

In an incident-free match, Altona kicked 8-2 to Williamstown's 1-1 in a great last quarter burst to run out easy winners. Final scores were Altona, 18-9-117, to Williamstown, 10-11-77.

Williamstown, although much bigger than their opponents, seemed to have no answer to the enthusiasm and excellent ground play of Altona.

Altona had matchwinners in centreman John Hampton and rover Ken Churchill, particularly when resting in the forward pocket.

Hampton was instrumental in the side's great fighting last quarter, while Churchill used almost uncanny judgment to notch five goals from the pocket and help in many others.

Altona virtually won the match in the first quarter when they kicked two good goals against the breeze.

They took a while to get started in the second quarter, but with Churchill excelling, attacked repeatedly towards the close for a 17 point lead at half time.

Altona's good third quarter when they again scored two goals against the breeze, and limited Williamstown to 4-3 left them three points ahead at three quarter time and the match looked over.

This is exactly how it turned out as Altona were quickly into attack and at the eight minute mark led, 14-9 to 9-10.

Competition best and fairest winner Jim Hynes, together with fellow ruckman Ollie Goetz were the only players to provide any semblance of stiff opposition to the Altona onslaught, but their efforts were not enough.

Hynes tried valiantly all day to lift his side, but the Altona rucks, three of whom appeared to be taller than him, gave their side very good service.

Williamstown attacked belatedly for a goal and then a "poster", but Altona had the match well and truly sewn up by this stage.

An unfortunate incident after the final siren marred the match, which was played in a good spirit and without any spiteful passages of play.

It is understood the WSFL executive will conduct an inquiry into the incident on Friday.

Williamstown will now meet Devon Park in the preliminary final at Newport next Saturday.

Open Age matches saw leaders West Newport, Altona and Newport completely eclipse their opponents for big victories.

West Newport won by 77 points over RAAF Point Cook, Altona won by 97 points over Maidstone, and Newport won by 124 points over Laverton.

Altona's win could prove costly however as top ruckman Ron Schwabe suffered an ankle injury and was off the field by half time after having kicked five goals in the second quarter.

Altona are scheduled to meet Newport in the last home and home match next Saturday in a vital game which will decide which team has the double chance.

Sunshine Football League Under 11 best and fairest winner, Maidstone's Tony La-Macchia, was given the honor of leading the senior side on to the field prior to the start of the match against Altona.

Tony did a lap of honor and was so keen, only needed a word of encouragement, and he would gladly have taken the field to help Maidstone out.

In other matches Central Altona got home from Williamstown United, although United's incredible accuracy kept them within range for most of the match; and Werribee had little trouble in defeating Brooklyn, with full forward Bob Arnott booting seven goals.

In Under 18 matches Newport's Ralph Saegi continued his goal kicking spree, he kicked eight to give his side a 109 point win over Central Altona.

Altona A, who must start flag favourites in this section limited West Newport to only three points in a good performance, while Laverton notched a great win over Altona B.

Laverton full forward Harvey Rees kicked six of his side's eight goals in a good performance.

OPEN AGE

West Newport 17-21-123 d. RAAF Point Cook 6-10-46, Altona 20-22-142 d. Maidstone 5-5-35, Newport, 19-28-142 d. Laverton 2-6-18, Werribee 12-19-91 d. Brooklyn 3-3-21, Central Altona 15-20-116 d. Williamstown United 11-2-66.

Outstanding players for Altona were G. Munro 2, R. Zapart, L. Egan 1, D. York 2, S. Chatfield 2, and R. Lawson 2, while other scorers were P. Brennan, A. Molloy and K. Flett.

Battlers for Maidstone were G. Rankin 2, T. Challis 2, P. Heard 1, P. Jeans, J. Beasley M. Berg.

Newport's stars were A. Stewart, R. Kite 2, J. Moloney 2, J. Bester 4, and K. Lynch 1, while other scorers were C. Sanderson 3, W. Woods 3, R. Martin 2, R. Coleman and K. Withers.

Hard triers for Laverton were J. Pyne, K. McKenzie, D. Stoodley 1, K. Rozynski and K. Ferguson 1.

Good performers for Werribee were R. Arnott 7, G. Martini, G. Cook 1, R. Reidy, B. Richards and J. Edwards, while other scorers were W. O'Keefe, D. Keogh, K. Courtney and G. King.

Matchwinners for Central Altona were W. Kennedy 3, J. Lott 2, M. Lawrin, T. Wrybicki, and R. Smutney 3, while others to score were R. Cole 2, A. Evans 2, K. Collins, K. Gilchrist and M. Kizan.

Williamstown United's best were G. Sherriff, T. Allen, N. Surace, S. Maddox 1, and K. Standbury, while other scorers were I. Hamilton, M. Black, B. Stewart and A. Pelnis.

UNDER 18

Altona A 12-13-85 d. West Newport 0-3-3, Newport 21-23-149 d. Central Altona 5-10-40, Laverton, 8-7-55 d. Altona B 4-7-31.

Altona A's stars were I. Hardham, S. Chatfield 1, P. Tyrell, G. Wilson 2 and S. Showell, while other scorers were N. Courtney 4, S. Granger 3, W. Patton and S. Howard.

Outstanding players for Newport were R. Eyles, C. Ravenscroft 2, A. Flavel 6, G. Woods and R. Saegi 8, while other scorers were J. Bester 2, J. Moloney and I. Howard.

Laverton's stars were A. Nolans 1, M. Payne 1, P. Howells, K. Allen, G. Douglas and H. Rees 6.

UNDER 16

Altona 18-9-117 d. Williamstown 10-11-77.

Altona's best were J. Hampton, K. Churchill 5, C. Martin 4, R. Geard 2, W. Burnett 1 and N. Healey, while other scorers were M. Featherby 2, G. Handcock, P. Rosenboom and W. Marsh.

FIXTURES

Central Altona v. West Newport, Laverton v. Maidstone, Altona v. Newport, RAAF Point Cook v. Werribee, Brooklyn v. Williamstown United.

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Altona Council will support a bid by Brunswick Council to have the Commonwealth Government buy up surplus primary products, such as wool, wheat, meat and butter, for distribution to overpopulated countries suffering food shortages.

"This is quite a good idea," commented Cr. P. J. Lynch. "All we can do is ask our local Members to bring it up in Parliament."

By-Law For Horses

Altona Council on Tuesday adopted a by-law for the control of horses.

The by-law prohibits the keeping of a horse on less than one acre of land or within 40 feet of the nearest part of any dwelling without a Council permit.

Poster Ban

The S.E.C. has asked Altona Council to help it stamp out the practice of pasting election campaign posters on light poles.

Council was told the practice contravened parts of the Summary Offences Act.

Conference

Mr. J. Mellors, Altona's Chief Health Inspector, will attend the Australian Institute of Health Surveyors' annual conference in the Camberwell Civic Centre from August 24 to 28.

Council Visit

Sunshine councillors have accepted an invitation to visit Altona Council on August 11. Footscray councillors were invited to attend Altona Council the same night, but declined because of other activities.

Could Spend Money Here

Altona Council will take no action on a request by the Keep Australia Beautiful Council for a \$100 donation.

"They're doing an excellent job in keeping Australia clean," said Cr. P. J. Lynch, "but we're doing a job in Altona, and we could well spend the \$100 here."

The campaign council said it received a Government subsidy of \$20,000 to cover administration costs, but more money was needed.

ELDERLY CITIZENS' NEWS

Following the tragic death of the Altona Elderly Citizens' Club secretary, Mr. N. Haslam, Mrs. A. Dickson has been elected secretary and Mrs. A. Hanson is assistant secretary.

The former president, Mr. J. Sutton, is delighting his friends with his recovery.

Mrs. E. Edwards, president, has a member of her family ill and is away at Mildura.

Mrs. Lowman, treasurer, is enjoying a well earned holiday with a dozen members on a bus tour to Surfers Paradise.

Community singing was enjoyed by all at the July monthly birthday party. Afternoon tea with sandwiches and cream cakes was served and a beautiful birthday cake was cut by one of the members celebrating a birthday.

Mrs. Hope acted as a capable accompanist and the singers are extremely grateful to her.

The next monthly dance is on Saturday, August 15, with dancing from 8 till 11 p.m. Entrance fee is 30c and a good supper is provided, plus a good time is assured.

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SCHOOL SOCCER

A cold, gusty wind greeted the opening of the Education Week Knockout Competition for a Cup and the Harry Kim Shield.

In the first game East played Seaholme and although playing against the wind East scored the only goal in the first ten minutes. Seaholme could not penetrate the strong East defenders, too much being left to one attacking forward.

Scores: East, 1, Seaholme, nil.

In the second game West led to their own downfall by giving North two gift goals in 5 minutes due to a misunderstanding between defenders and goalkeeper.

North led 6-nil at half-time but after a hard talk by West's coaches their defence tightened up and as a result North only managed to score one more goal in the second half.

Scores: West, nil, North, 7.

In the third and last game of the day Altona met their old adversary, Seaholme, and they finished off a very good day with a ding dong end to end game. First, Altona led, then Seaholme came back with two beautiful goals. Altona then replied with a further two. Excitement was high and both teams were glad to hear the final whistle which made the score: Altona, 3, Seaholme, 2.

This week East, North and Altona meet in the semi-finals and final of the Cup.

West and Seaholme will play a friendly practice game.

The support of the parents was tremendous. Please come along again this Sunday for the final.

Westona Little Athletics Club

On Sunday last Westona conducted a Club Cross Country Championship run at Cherry Lake. Winners were: Girls U9 Janet Rice; U10 Jenny George; U11 Robin Osborne.

Boys U9 Paul Snyder; U10 Stuart Bazga; U12 Brenton Dodd.

ALTONA TENNIS CLUB

Once again Altona has shown what a force it is in junior tennis by having five of its seven teams reach the finals of the under 19 Western Suburbs Tennis Association competition. The semi-finals will be played on Sunday, August 9. Spectators, especially parents, are urged to come along and support these young sides.

Players who have been picked in the teams are to attend a practice session organised for Saturday, August 8, starting at 9 a.m.

All members are asked to remember the meeting in the clubrooms on Sunday, August 9, at 10.30 a.m. This meeting has been called to elect the junior committee for the coming year. Parents and all members over 12 years old are eligible to vote. It is compulsory for junior members to attend this meeting.

Section 1, No. 1, v. Spotswood, at Liston. G. Findlay, P. Sawyer, G. Wood. Emerg.: S. Whitecross.

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Any player unavailable must get in direct contact with G. Wood (22 Millers Road) as soon as possible. It would be very much appreciated if all members would pay their annual fees

BLACK DAY FOR ALTONA HOCKEY TEAMS

Altona hockey suffered its worst round when five teams out of six failed to gain points last Saturday.

Both junior teams were eliminated from the finals series when they lost the first semi-final matches.

Under 16 were defeated by Brunswick, 3-2.

Altona's chances looked very grim when Brunswick scored 2 goals in the first 20 minutes.

A determined fight back began when Greg Richardson was deliberately fouled when shooting for goal. The resulting penalty flick was successfully converted when John Mallett calmly flicked the ball low down to the left corner of the net.

Excitement ran high when early in the second half, Chris Bruce with a solo run from the 25 yards line belted home a glorious goal to equalise the scores.

The game looked to be Altona's when John Forrester drove a scorcher high into the net but it was disallowed.

Brunswick sealed the game when a dribbling shot found the net with only a few minutes of the game remaining.

Under 14 were defeated by Toorak, 4-0.

These two teams had drawn both games played during the season and the stage was set for a great final. However, the Altona players could not find their feet and were very unsettled.

Toorak, with the confidence of 24 goals scored in their previous match, were quick to score but Altona fought doggedly to be down 1-0 at half-time.

However, as Altona had to win this game changes were made in an effort to improve the forward play but Toorak overwhelmed the locals by scoring three more goals.

Best: R. McCauley, S. Smith, M. Burgess.

A Grade were defeated by Greensborough, 3-1.

Playing at home, Altona continued their good form of the previous week and the scores do not give a true indication of the game. Altona lost only because it was un-

able to convert from opportunities in the scoring circle.

Greensborough are second top team and have years of experience in top grade hockey. However, their concern at being unable to get on top showed through in bickering with their own players and with the umpire.

This took a lot of gloss from what should have been a great game.

Bruce Forrester converted a penalty flick to give Altona its solitary goal.

C North defeated RAAF, 9-0.

D North were defeated by Ivanhoe, 4-2.

Altona suffered its first loss for six weeks in a very grueling match.

Altona hit the first goal and had every chance of taking the points up to the end of the first half, but the Ivanhoe backmen constantly outmanoeuvred the forwards in the second half and with long, deep hits down the ground kept the pressure on Altona.

Eventually this continual pressure broke the defence and Ivanhoe scored despite disputed umpires' decisions.

Goals: M. Cibat, R. Pratt.

Best: M. Kroll.

E GRADE

Altona were defeated 5-2 by a much improved Glenroy side. Good play early in the first half resulted in a goal by R. Waters. Altona looked set for a good victory but this was not to be. Playing with purpose and teamwork Glenroy left Altona standing flatfooted and looking very ragged.

Syd Hyde, who had been quiet for most of the game, scored a good goal in the dying minutes of the game. This goal might have been what was needed to pull the team out of its slump, but it was too late.

Saturday's game showed very clearly that the strong, skilful play of N. Hunter and W. Duncan is very necessary against the improved sides in the competition.

CLUB NOTES

The General Meeting will be held on Thursday night at 8 p.m. in the clubrooms.

The Junior Presentation Night will be held this Saturday, August 8, in the Methodist Hall, Seves Street, Altona.

Programme: 6.30 p.m., Buffet Dinner for junior; 7.30-9 p.m., films; 9 p.m., presentation of trophies. Admission 20c. Parents welcome.

Indoor Bowls Championship

Jan Douglas and Pat Gischus will play off in the grand final of the Altona Ladies' Bowling Club's indoor championship.

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Altona Little Athletics

The cross country season of the Altona Centre concluded with the running of the championships at the Cherry Lake last Sunday.

Altona was the most successful club with three gold medals. Westona won two and Altona North and Seaholme won one each.

A feature of the season was three children — David Whiffin (A), Gary Thompson (AN) and Paul Schnyder (W) completing the season undefeated, each with a win in the championships.

Results: Girls' Under 9 1,000m. — 1st, J. Rice (W), 4.31; 2nd, K. Thompson (AN), 4.33; 3rd, R. Whiffin (A), 4.39.

Girls' Under 10 1,000m. — 1st, A. Whiffin (A), 4.44; 2nd, J. George (W), 4.45; 3rd, V. Clark (W), 5.02.

Girls' Under 11 2,000m. — 1st, P. Schnyder (W), 8.46; 2nd, D. Rosenboom (W), 9.21; 3rd, G. McWilliams (W), 9.31.

Boys' Under 10 2,000m. — 1st, K. Vogan (S), 9.17; 2nd, S. Bazga (W), 9.27; 3rd, A. Anderson (AN), 9.36.

Boys' Under 11 3,000m. — 1st, G. Thompson (AN), 13.21; 2nd, P. Hargraves (AN), 14.28; 3rd, S. Condon (S), 16.48.

Boys' Under 12 3,000m. — 1st, D. Whiffin (A), 12.48; 2nd, B. Dodd (W), 14.02; 3rd, N. Heyme (S), 15.14.

All children competing in the Victorian Championships to be held at Yarra Bend Park this Sunday (August 9), commencing at 1 p.m., are reminded to report to the team manager, Mr. A. Barling, for their name tags and Centre colors.

White shorts, T shirt and suitable footwear must be worn.

1st, G. Moylan (A), 9.58; 2nd, R. Osborne (W), 10.16.

Williamstown Little Athletics

Last Saturday five junior members of Williamstown Amateur Athletic Club competed in the Schoolboys' Cross Country Championships of Victoria.

Eero Keranen and Pat Bradshaw competed in the Under 15 division (4 miles) and Rob Hall, Craig Dodd and Ricky Douglas competed in the Under 14 2 miles.

As well as the distance involved these young boys had a creek to cross during the course and also a very steep hill.

Best performers were Eero Keranen (5th) in the Under 15 section, and Rob Hall (17th) in a very large field in the Under 14 section.

Two boys to watch in the near future are Craig Dodd and Ricky Douglas as they showed what potential they do have in finishing just behind Rob Hall.

This Saturday members will be competing in the VAAA 10 miles road championship of Victoria at Fishermen's Bend.

Cars leave from the clubrooms at 1 p.m.

All senior and junior members please note that the club's annual 4 miles Fearon Shield Handicap is being held from the clubroom, Newport Oval, at 2 p.m., on August 15.

LISTON-ESPLANADE'S SEMI-FINAL TUSSLE

Liston-Esplanade and Glen Iris were locked in a tense battle when bad light forced the LTAV's A Grade semi-final to be postponed at two rubbers all with two doubles remaining for play.

Near tragedy struck the local team during the week when John Hillebrand sustained a severe back injury which nearly prevented him competing in the semi-final.

A decision as to whether John should play or an emergency from the "C" Special included was not made until 15 minutes before the scheduled commencement of play.

Captain John Stephens won the toss and elected to play himself and Don Cameron first rubbers on John's opponent, Max Senior, was in brilliant form and struck an early blow for Liston-Esplanade by defeating Stephens in straight sets.

At the same time Don Cameron raced away with his first set 6-2 but lost the second 6-5 in a close struggle against clever Warren Pendry. Pendry is one of the most improved players in A Grade pennant and proves a tough opponent at No. 4.

In the vital third set Cameron's great experience and ball control proved too much for his more youthful Glen Iris opponent and Cameron notched up a 5-0 lead before taking the set and rubber 6-2.

At this stage Liston-Esplanade were a rubber all and one set down with David Wright and the injured John Hillebrand to play.

David Wright was next on the court against Victoria's top junior player and No. 1 Linton Cup representative Cliff Letcher. Wright excelled himself by taking the match in a tight third set; the result being 5-6, 6-5, 7-5, in favour of Wright.

John Hillebrand hobbled on to the court for his encounter against that wily performer Noel Holland who had an enormous amount of overseas and local tournament experience.

The handicapped Hillebrand went down 6-4, 6-4, in what must have been one of the most gallant and courageous displays seen in Pennant for years.

Suffering from severe pain Hillebrand fought on to throw out a challenge in the second set when he levelled at 4-all. However, the effort was in vain and Holland ran out the victor in a most dramatic match.

So the position of the semi-final is that Liston-Esplanade must win both remaining doubles rubbers to enter the grand final. If Glen Iris win either rubber then this would put them in an unbeatable position. The match will be completed this weekend at the Royal South Yarra Tennis Club.

The "C" Special team is going well in its attempt to gain the Sectional Finals. In a postponed singles match the locals defeated third team Beaumaris 4-0.

Michael Kelly won his first set 6-0, then lost the second and trailed 5-3 in the third but recovered well for a win in three sets.

Social organiser Doug Stephenson is well advanced in his efforts to run a picture night for the club. He has selected the last Saturday night in August, and any member wishing to attend should contact Doug or a member of the Committee for tickets.

KOORINGAL GOLF CLUB

Saturday, August 1 Stableford. — A Grade, K. LeFevre, 35 points; B Grade, I. Keelan, 39 points; C Grade, G. Johnson, 36 points. Monthly Medal: I. Keelan. Sunday, August 2 Bogey. — D. Spackman, 1 up; G. Harrison, square; N. McKinnon, 1 down; G. Caruthers, 1 down.

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Homing Club

(V.H.A.) Last Saturday the race was flown from Korong Vale (120 miles) under windy conditions which blew the birds off their course and made the race hard and tough with slow times resulting.

1st, Ted Kwiatkowski, 1.297 y.p.m.; 2nd, Harry Le Blanc, 1.295 y.p.m.; 3rd, Jack Durkin, 1.261 y.p.m.; 4th, R. Murphy, 1.251 y.p.m.

This Saturday's race will be flown from Wycheproof (155 miles). — GAY PIED.

CYCLING

Three cyclists from Altona were members of the team from the Footscray Amateur Cycling Club which won the State junior premiership held on Sunday at Craigieburn.

Teams from all Victorian clubs competed in the wintry conditions.

Footscray's junior team which won in 56 mins., 43 secs., was T. McEwan (Altona), N. Provis, R. Croker (Altona), C. Jessor and T. Gardner (Altona).

On the previous day the club raced at Werribee and results of events were: Juvenile 12 Mile Scratch Race. — 1, R. Noble; 2, P. Provis; 3, Tony Williams (Altona).

Junior 24 Mile Scratch Race. — 1, N. Provis; 2, G. Mathews; 3, Terry Gardner (Altona).

Senior 36 Mile Scratch Race. — 1, C. Leich; 2, A. Hicks; 3, F. Boldburg.

4th Altona Scouts

The 4th Altona Scout Group will be conducting a Honey Drive on Saturday, August 15. Good quality yellow box honey will be available at 40c per carton. Orders beforehand may be made by phoning 398-2353.

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Altona Throw Soccer Match Away

Dandenong City took full advantage of mistakes made by Altona City's defence to finish up winners by 4-1 in metropolitan soccer last Saturday.

The Altona forward line was a two-man affair. Herman and Savage had a little sparkle.

It is evident the Maroons are sadly missing Jimmy Ackers and Tommy Keane. The two stars hope to be back in action in the near future.

Playing against the wind and uphill, Altona started slowly, yet when they did attack they looked dangerous.

Savage cracked home a goal but it was ruled offside. Baylish was playing well. Copley and Milloy were playing it tight and on the through balls Herman was proving a handful.

One good run saw Savage miss a good chance, then came the first of the gifts. King tried to beat three men, lost possession and Allan and Hynes got mixed up and like a flash Dandy had the ball past the helpless Roberts.

Altona fought back and Stankovski gave King a chance. Allen rocketed in a long-range shot which only missed by inches.

With the advantage of the wind in the second half the Altona supporters were quietly confident. However, the left wing for Altona was non-existent.

Copley and Herman did well on the right. Some of Stevie's cross balls were too close to the Dandy keeper.

Altona grabbed the equaliser when Herman scored from close range.

Dandenong fought like tigers for every ball and Altona were in trouble.

A half hit shot eluded Roberts and it was a goal. Brim-full of confidence Dandy proceeded to score two more.

While this was going on Altona lost all control. They were always caught in possession and the game slipped away from them.

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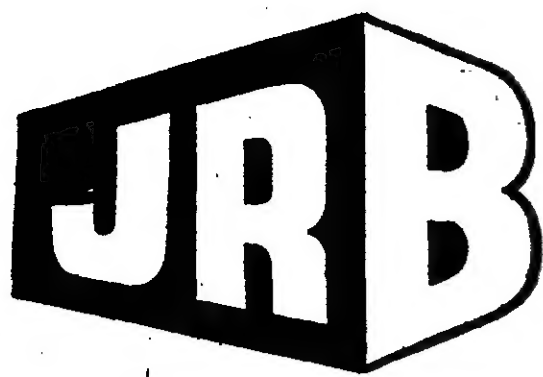
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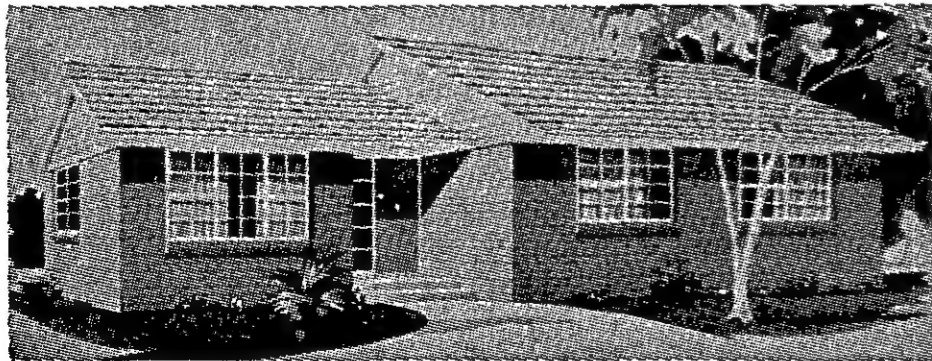
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